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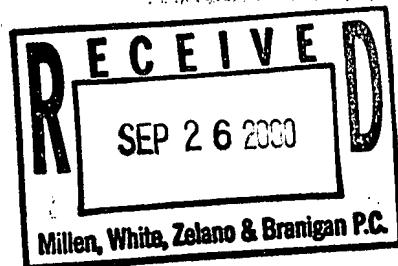
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RE: Vacuum Actuated Display Ornaments
Inventor Douglas M. Sheffield, Jr.
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Dear John:

Enclosed are 4 sheets of drawings, a cover letter, and a return postcard. Please have the letter and drawings hand carried to:

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and please have the postcard stamped and return to us together with your invoice. Thanking you in advance for your continued cooperation and courtesy.

Yours truly,

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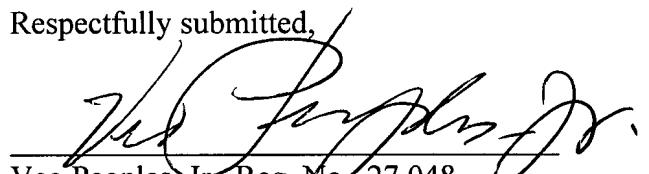
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FORMAL DRAWINGS FOR PETITION TO WITHDRAW ABANDONMENT

Dear Ms. Toviessi:

Pursuant to our telephone conversation of Friday, September 22, 2000, I am having hand delivered to you 4 sheets of drawings covering Figures 1-18 of the above-described case.

Respectfully submitted,


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